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Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

THIRD INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

Applicants submit to the Examiner the attached Form PTO/SB/08/B document listing and this paper pursuant to 37 CFR §1.56 and § 1.97-1.98. Form PTO/SB/08/B is attached and copy of the reference is enclosed herewith. This Information Disclosure Statement is submitted more than three months from the filing date of this application, and after the receipt of a first Office Action. Therefore, a fee of \$180.00 is due. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in any fees due with the filing of this paper or credit any overpayment in any fees to our Deposit Account Number 08-3040.

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The Examiner is respectfully requested to consider the enclosed documents identified in this paper and in the attached Form PTO/SB/08/B during the course of examination of this application.

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